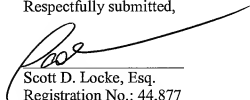


REMARKS

In the Office Action dated March 7, 2007, the Examiner indicated that claims 1 and 38 – 60 were allowed, and that claims 6 and 27 – 29 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112. Applicants respectfully disagree with the Examiner's conclusions with respect to claims 6 and 27 – 29. However in the interest of closing prosecution and receiving a Notice of Allowance, Applicants hereby cancel claims 6 and 27 – 29.

Applicants submit that no fee is required in connection with the filing of this Amendment and Reply. If any fee is deemed necessary, please charge Deposit Account No. 11-0171.

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